<u>Did you know . . . on IGCE Substantiation and WAWF Oct 29, 2012</u>

- 1...that PARC Policy Alert 12-26 (attached) outlining steps to be taken by KOs to ensure all Independent Government Cost Estimates (IGCE) are properly substantiated prior to acceptance was published by DASA(P) on 17 Apr 12? A FLASH Notice on this matter was sent by this office on 18 Apr 12 and a Did You Know on 30 Apr 12.
- 2...that, in accordance with the above Policy Alert, the KO must include an IGCE in every procurement action over the SAT and, prior to accepting it, ensure that the IGCE contains enough detail to verify the validity of the contractor's proposal and provides sufficient narrative and analytical data, to include reference material? Note that it is the responsibility of the requiring activity (RA) to prepare the documentation: IGCE and substantiation. It is the responsibility of the KO to ensure that the RA provides the required documentation. Remember that FAR 1.603-2 states that business acumen and judgment are part of the criteria for selection of KOs and as such we have to think critically on every aspect of procurement. This includes the IGCE/IGE.
- 3...that DFARS clause 252.232-7006, Wide Area WorkFlow Payment Instructions, shall be used when DFARS clause 252.232-7003 is used and neither DFARS 232.7003(b) nor (c) apply? Note that DFARS 232.7002 (a)(1) lists the exceptions for using DFARS clause 252.232-7003. See DFARS PGI 232.7004 for instructions on completing the clause.

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